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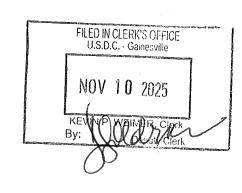
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THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA. ATLANTA DIVISION.

FREDERICK O. SILVER Plaintiff,

VS.

NATIONAL CREDIT SYSTEMS, INC. Defendant.

CASE NO: 1:24-CV-03238-SCJ-JCF

District Judge: Steve C Jones

Magistrate Judge: Anna W. Howard

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL DEFENDANT TO CEASE CREDIT REPORTING PENDING LITIGATION.

I. INTRODUCTION

Plaintiff Frederick O. Silver respectfully moves this Court to order Defendant National Credit Systems, Inc. ("NCS") to cease furnishing or reporting the alleged debt to consumer reporting agencies while this litigation is pending.

II. ARGUMENT

1. Under 15 U.S.C. §1692g(b), a debt collector must cease all collection activity until validation is provided after a written dispute. Courts recognize that furnishing information to credit reporting agencies constitutes collection

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- activity. Edeh v. Midland Credit Mgmt., 748 F. Supp. 2d 1030 (D. Minn. 2010), aff'd 413 F. App'x 925 (8th Cir. 2011).
- 2. Under 15 U.S.C. §1692e(8), it is unlawful to communicate credit information that is known or should be known to be false, including failure to communicate that a debt is disputed.
- 3. Under 15 U.S.C. §1681s-2(b), furnishers must conduct a reasonable investigation of disputed debts and cease reporting inaccurate information. Gorman v. Wolpoff & Abramson, 584 F.3d 1147 (9th Cir. 2009).
- 4. Despite Plaintiff's disputes and the pendency of this lawsuit, Defendant continues to furnish the alleged debt as a valid collection account, causing ongoing harm to Plaintiff's creditworthiness.
- 5. Defendant's refusal to cease reporting the alleged debt demonstrates the precise abusive collection tactic that Congress intended to prevent under the FDCPA. By continuing to furnish this account while Plaintiff's dispute and this litigation are pending, Defendant is leveraging credit reporting as a weapon to coerce payment on a debt that Plaintiff does not owe. Courts recognize that furnishing information to consumer reporting agencies constitutes collection activity. *Edeh v. Midland Credit Mgmt., Inc.*, 748 F. Supp. 2d 1030, 1038-39 (D. Minn. 2010), aff'd, 413 F. App'x 925 (8th Cir. 2011). The continued reporting here is not an innocent mistake, but a deliberate pressure tactic designed to damage Plaintiff's creditworthiness and force settlement. Such conduct is unfair, deceptive, and unlawful under both the FDCPA, 15 U.S.C. §§ 1692g(b), 1692e(8), and the FCRA, 15 U.S.C. § 1681s-2(b).

III. RELIEF REQUESTED

Plaintiff respectfully requests that this Court:

- 1. Order Defendant NCS to immediately cease furnishing the alleged debt to consumer reporting agencies pending the resolution of this action;
- 2. Grant such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: this 3rd Day of November 2025.

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THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA. ATLANTA DIVISION.

Plaintiff, vs. NATIONAL CREDIT SYSTEMS, INC.; MID-AMERICA APARTMENT COMMUNITIES, INC., A Brad Hill as CEO, A CLAY HOLDER as CFO, LESLIE WOLFGANG as Secretary. Defendants.

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DECLARATION OF FREDERICK O. SILVER.

I, Frederick O. Silver, declare:

- 1. I am the Plaintiff, proceeding pro se.
- 2. Defendant's **Dkt. 61** references "deemed admissions" and alleged failures to respond to interrogatories/requests for production; however, the **actual discovery instruments** and **proofs of service** are **not on the docket**.
- 3. On October 30, 2025, Defendant also filed **Exhibit A** (state-court records) and **Exhibit B** (account statement) with its response, but these are not the discovery instruments at issue in the upcoming conference.
- 4. Having the discovery materials on the docket will aid the Court's review at the Nov.20, 2025 Zoom conference.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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